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In further response to the Official Action of May 11, 1989, please amend as follows:

IN THE ABSTRACT

After the claims, as a separate page, please insert the following:

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The invention relates to crystalline 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4yl)-2-hydroxyiminoacetamido]-3-vinyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylic acid (syn isomer) useful as an antimicrobial agent.